

## Assembly

### Record of Committee Proceedings

#### **Committee on Education Reform**

##### **Assembly Bill 503**

Relating to: the enrollment of the charter school established by the University of Wisconsin-Parkside.

By Representatives Ladwig, Jensen, Kerkman, McCormick, Hines, Krawczyk, F. Lasee, M. Lehman, Nass, Nischke, Owens, Seratti and Hahn; cosponsored by Senators Stepp, Kanavas, Roessler, Reynolds and A. Lasee.

September 08, 2003 Referred to Committee on Education Reform.

September 10, 2003 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (13) Representatives Jensen, Vukmir, Nass, Olsen, McCormick, Towns, J. Wood, Nischke, A. Williams, Cullen, Sherman, Sinicki and J. Lehman.

Absent: (0) None.

##### Appearances For

- Representative Bonnie Ladwig, 63rd Assembly District, Racine
- Senator Cathy Stepp, 21st Senate District, Sturtevant
- Milton Thompson, 21st Century Preparatory School, Racine
- Christine Hauck, 21st Century Preparatory School, Racine
- Tammi Bostick, 21st Century Preparatory School, Racine
- Laurie Novak-Simmons, 21st Century Preparatory Schools, Racine

##### Appearances Against

- None.

##### Appearances for Information Only

- None.

##### Registrations For

- Senator Tom Reynolds, 5th Senate District, West Allis
- Senn Brown, Wisconsin Charter Schools Association, Madison
- George Mitchell, American Education Reform Council, Milwaukee
- Susan Mitchell, Alliance for Choice in Education, Milwaukee
- Ed Eberle, American Education Reform Foundation, Milwaukee

- Joan Hansen, Wisconsin Manufacturers and Commerce, Madison
- Carrie Hogard, 21st Century Preparatory School, Racine
- Greg Anderegg, 21st Century Preparatory School, Racine
- Carole Johnson, 21st Century Preparatory School, Racine

Registrations Against

- Robert Anderson, Milwaukee
- Sheri Krause, Wisconsin Association of School Boards, Madison
- John Forester, School Administrators Alliance, Madison
- Michael Walsh, WEAC, Madison
- Diane Craney, WEAC, Madison

September 24, 2003 **EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD**

Present: (13) Representatives Jensen, Vukmir, Nass, Olsen, McCormick, Towns, J. Wood, Nischke, A. Williams, Cullen, Sherman, Sinicki and J. Lehman.

Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Representative Towns, seconded by Representative J. Wood that **Assembly Bill 503** be recommended for passage.

Ayes: (8) Representatives Jensen, Vukmir, Nass, Olsen, McCormick, Towns, J. Wood and Nischke.

Noes: (5) Representatives A. Williams, Cullen, Sherman, Sinicki and J. Lehman.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 8, Noes 5

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Steve Knudson  
Committee Clerk